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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 8, 2004, please amend the application as follows:

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In the Description

Page 4, lines 6 to 11 change "A pair. . . grip 13." to the following

- A pair of O-rings 24 are disposed between the outer periphery of the connector 22 and an inner periphery of the housing 21 in a compressed manner to preclude relative rotation between the housing 21 and the connector 22 and also to provide circumferential seals between the housing 21 and the connector 22. The exposed end of the connector 22 has an external male thread 25 in order to be threaded into the grip 13.